

# News From The Leading Cities of The Gem State

## HOLIDAY SPIRIT AT POCATELLO

Happy Reunion Marks the Day  
For Family of Mr. and Mrs.  
Anthony Smith.

### UNITE AFTER LONG JOURNEY

Sailing From England on Dec. 8, Ar-  
rival Takes Place on Christmas  
Day at the Gate City.

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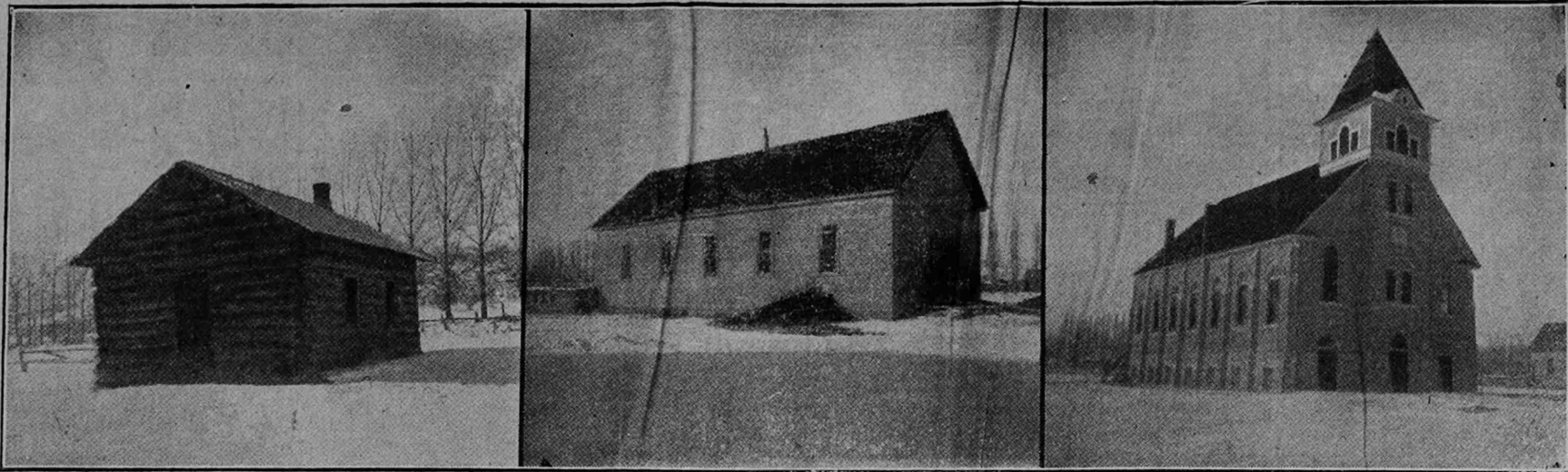
(Special Correspondence.)  
POCATELLO, Dec. 29.—Christmas  
was generally observed last Sun-  
day by appropriate exercises in  
the respective churches. The  
holiday trade was heavier than usual,  
the postoffice was doing business to the  
capacity of the house. Santa Claus  
was a general visitor in nearly every  
home, all the good little boys and girls  
were remembered, and were made  
happy by numerous gifts to them from  
his bounteous basket.

Two particularly happy families are  
worthy of a passing notice: Early  
Christmas morning, "something hap-  
pened" at the residence of Division  
Surgeon W. A. Wright, that will long  
be remembered by his two sweet little  
daughters. Masquerading as Santa  
Claus with sleigh bells ringing  
and toys galore, the doctor announced  
his arrival at the home with great  
noise and merriment, looking for  
empty stockings, and good little chil-  
dren who had been wishing a call by  
Santa. He found first the stockings,  
but the coy little girls fought shy of  
the strange and bearded stranger, until  
he was introduced by the mistress of  
the house, and after that, the doctor  
had the time of his life! It is still the  
talk of the family circle.

The happy reunion of two halves of  
a family on Christmas night, was the  
experience of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony  
Smith, formerly of Rexham, North-  
umberland, England. Mrs. Smith, ac-  
companied by their grown children:  
Robert, Willie and Adeline, arrived  
here on a belated train Saturday eve-  
ning at 9 o'clock, after 16 days' journey,  
leaving Rexham on Dec. 8. Awaiting  
their arrival here after a six months' sepa-  
ration by migration, was husband  
and father and two children, also  
grown, namely: Jennie and John.  
The journey, though uneventful, over  
land and sea, was nevertheless inter-  
esting, good health being enjoyed by  
each member of the family. The in-  
tention is to remain here for the pres-  
ent, Mr. Smith being employed as a  
carpenter at the Short Line shops.

The first ward Sunday school gave  
a Christmas tree party Friday evening  
at the west side chapel. The follow-  
ing program was rendered: Diet, by  
Leatha Spillman and Ella Edwards;  
recitation by Edith Sorgatz; song by  
George Pypier; chorus by children of  
the kindergarten and primary depart-

## Evolution of Weston Ward, Oneida Stake, Idaho.



First Meeting House When Harrison Maughan Was  
Presiding Elder.

Erected When J. H. Clark Was Bishop. Now Con-  
verted into Amusement Hall.

Modern Steam Heated Meeting House. Cost to date  
\$16,450. Otto Gassman, Bishop.

ment: recitation by Mildred Parker;  
character song, "Santa Claus" little  
Ally Pond; bass solo, "Hail to the  
New Horn King," Edwin Edgley;  
recitation by little Ellen Jacobson, Act-  
ing Santa Claus, distributing presents  
from the Christmas tree, George C.  
Fugimire.

### FIRE WIPES OUT STORE AT ELVA

(Special Correspondence.)  
ELVA, Dec. 28.—Fire broke out in the  
Elva branch of the Iona Mercantile  
company's store about 11 o'clock last  
evening, completely destroying the  
building and contents. The building  
was a fine iron-front brick building,  
costing \$10,000, and carrying a stock of  
\$20,000, insured in the Home Fire of  
Utah for about \$12,000. It is thought  
that the books and notes were de-  
stroyed. If this be true, the loss will  
be nearly doubled as they were doing  
considerable credit business. The fire  
started in the office, possibly from an  
overheated stove or defective wiring,  
and had made such headway when dis-  
covered that practically nothing was  
saved.

### REAL OLD TIME WINTER IS ENJOYED IN RIGBY

(Special Correspondence.)  
RIGBY, Dec. 30.—A reminder of the  
old time winter, is the verdict of  
the old settlers of this valley, in re-  
lation to the present one. With suf-  
ficient snow to make good sleighing,  
the thermometer indicating a tem-  
perature varying from the freezing  
to 20 degrees below zero, December 1909  
has come and almost gone, still with  
good health and good cheer prevailing,  
good prices for farm products and con-  
siderable amusement in the form of  
theatricals, dancing, basketball, skat-  
ing, sleighing, etc., people generally  
seem to be enjoying themselves.  
The Latter-day Saint meetinghouse,  
which was closed for a time while  
undergoing repairs and an annex being  
built, was reopened for stake con-  
ference on Dec. 18 and 19. The at-  
tendance on the Sunday afternoon be-  
ing 762, shows that the house now will  
supply a long felt want.  
President Josiah Call and family

have been quarantined for several  
days owing to a supposed case of  
scarlatina, but the alarm proving to be  
a false one they are now at liberty.  
School closed on Dec. 24 and Princi-  
pal M. J. Hammond of the district  
school, Principal J. W. Long of the  
high school and other teachers are at-  
tending a teachers' convention at Boise.  
Alfred Cordon, Oel F. Call and Wil-  
liam J. Chandler are spending the  
holidays at home, having come from  
the state normal school at Albion last  
Thursday.

Yesterday, Mr. Samuel Briggs and  
Miss Lillie Kinghorn, who live a short  
distance west of Rigby were united in  
matrimony, Bishop David Kinghorn  
of Lewisville performing the ceremony,  
and a very pleasant time was enjoyed  
by the guests at the home of Mr. Wil-  
liam Briggs, the bridegroom's father.

### ONLY TWO SALOONS REMAIN IN REXBURG

(Special Correspondence.)  
REXBURG, Ida., Dec. 23.—Alfred  
Phillips died here last week of  
pneumonia. He had emigrated here  
with his family from England about  
six weeks ago. He was 36 years old  
and is survived by a wife and two  
children.

The saloon of Mark Madison closed  
Dec. 15, according to the terms of the  
local option law. Two saloons are still  
operating here, as their licenses were  
obtained before the election and are  
good till February or March.

Blanche, the 3-year-old child of Mr.  
and Mrs. Albert Farnsworth was shot  
last Thursday at Vernon by the ac-  
cidental discharge of a .22 rifle. Her  
little brother Warren, 8 years old, was  
snapping the gun which was thought  
to be unloaded when a cartridge was  
discharged into the child's forehead  
and lodged in her brain. She lived but  
three hours. The body was shipped to  
Rexburg and the funeral held here Sun-  
day.

A. L. McDonald is here as the ad-  
juster for the insurance companies in  
the recent fire at the City Drug store.  
The entire stock of goods was ruined.  
Miss Lulu Ormsby is home from Lo-  
gan for the vacation.  
The first ward will hold its annual  
reunion next Tuesday at the club  
rooms.

### EGYPTIAN DARKNESS FALLS ON PRESTON

Power Stream Freezes Up and It Is  
Back to the Standard Oil  
Product.

(Special Correspondence.)  
PRESTON, Idaho, Dec. 30.—For the  
past 10 days Preston has been in  
the dark, as far as electric lights are  
concerned, but old, rusty lamps have  
been resurrected from the cellar and  
used to light the homes and business  
houses. This state of affairs followed  
the freezing of the stream which sup-  
plies the power. The losses have fallen  
heaviest on the Preston Milling Co.,  
Preston Machine Co., and other such  
heavy users, who have had to close for  
a short time. It has been very awk-  
ward for many others, but they have  
found their way through with lamps.  
It is predicted by some that Preston  
will remain dark until the usual spring  
thaw, while the High Creek Co. officers  
promise power in a day or so. Peti-  
tions are being passed among the peo-  
ple, petitioning the village board to  
arrange with the Telluride company  
for power till the village can bond for  
money to install a plant of its own.  
The whole of Cache valley was ran-  
sacked for basketball players, to get  
a team to beat the O. S. Academy  
team, but their efforts were fruitless.

#### HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward  
for any case of Catarrh that cannot be  
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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J.  
Cheney for the last 15 years, and be-  
lieve him perfectly honorable in all busi-  
ness transactions and financially able to  
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firm.  
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,  
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally,  
acting directly upon the blood and mu-  
cous surfaces of the system. Testimon-  
ials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle.  
Sold by all druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-  
tion.

as the game ended with the score 41  
to 37 in favor of the academy team.  
Death claimed Rachel Chapman on  
the 23rd of December. She was the  
oldest woman in Preston, being in her  
ninetieth year. She leaves several  
grown up sons and daughters and a  
host of grandchildren.

Mr. Macfarland has been called upon  
to part with his beloved wife, who was  
laid to rest Sunday last.  
The following homes were made happy  
by arrivals: Mr. Leslie Corbridge, a  
boy; Mr. Wm. Lundgren, a boy; Hugh  
Kidd, a boy; George Jones, a boy; and  
Fred Hawks, a boy.

### FUNERAL SERVICE OF ARTHUR JACK

(Special Correspondence.)  
OAKLEY, Dec. 29.—Funeral services  
over the remains of Arthur W.  
Jack, son of President Wm. T. Jack  
and Ellen M. Naylor, who died on  
Christmas at Idaho Falls, were held in  
the Fourth ward chapel today at 10 a.  
m., under the direction of Bishop Ec-  
tor C. Haight. The house was filled  
with friends and neighbors of the de-  
ceased and appropriate remarks were  
made by Bishop Haight, Bishop Smith  
of Marion, Elder John A. Ellison, Dr. A.  
F. O. Nielson, Thomas H. Clark and  
Wm. T. Harper of the Cassia stake  
presidency, and Elder Wm. R. Lee. The  
opening prayer was offered by Bishop  
O. B. Pickett of the Third ward, and  
the benediction was pronounced by  
Bishop David P. Thomas. The casket  
was decked with beautifully designed  
floral offerings sent as tokens of ex-  
teem by the following organizations and  
friends in Idaho Falls with which the  
deceased had been associated: The  
state Sunday school board, the ward Y.  
M. M. I. A., the C. W. & M. Co., and  
G. G. Wright. Interment took place in  
the Oakley cemetery. Mr. Jack was  
born in Salt Lake City, March 19, 1884,  
and moved to Idaho in 1906, since which  
time he filled a two-years mission to  
the central states and after returning  
home he married Miss Estella Bates,  
and has lived at Burley and Idaho Falls  
after removing from this place. For  
some time the deceased has been en-  
gaged in the C. W. & M. Co., at  
Idaho Falls, where, on Dec. 22, he was  
seized by appendicitis and underwent an

operation Dec. 23. Deceased leaves a  
wife and one child, a son of two years,  
to mourn his death. Word came to Pres-  
ident Jack Sunday morning of the  
death of his son. He and Dr. John O.  
Lowe, a brother-in-law, went to Idaho  
Falls and brought the remains here for  
interment. The deceased was a young  
man of promising future; his life has  
been a beautiful example and he has  
been called in the prime of his life.

Cold, frost and fog still indicate that  
winter is on in full force. Work on the  
railroads and reservoir has had to be  
suspended on account of the severe  
weather.

Four of the children of Mrs. Effie  
Hunter of the Second ward are down  
with typhoid fever.

Christmas passed off quietly and the  
day took on the air and sanctity of a  
holy day more than of a holiday.

### LINCOLN HELD FAST BY THE STORM KING

(Special Correspondence.)  
LINCOLN, Dec. 23.—For 10 days  
past extremely cold weather has  
prevailed, the thermometer dropping to  
17 below on the 17th inst. Dancing  
parties, and amateur theatricals are  
playing an important part just now  
for the amusement of both old and  
young. Feeding and caring for the  
stock constitute the principal employ-  
ment for the farmers and ranchmen.  
The Utah-Idaho Sugar company at  
this point is experiencing great diffi-  
culty in unloading beets from the cars,  
the majority of which have been in the  
cars for some time, and are frozen  
tightly together, making it almost im-  
possible to remove them without the  
use of giant powder. This lateness in the  
delivery of beets is owing to the heavy  
rains and then cold spells preventing  
the farmers from getting on to the  
land to dig them, thus closing the  
factory at Blackfoot, and later trans-  
ferring these beets to the Idaho Falls  
plant. As these beets amounted to  
something like four or five thousand  
tons they will extend the run some 10  
days into January.  
The Relief society gave a very  
pleasant party last evening in the  
amusement hall which was well at-  
tended by the members of the  
ward. On Friday afternoon and eve-  
ning the Primary will have a Christ-  
mas tree and party which promises to  
be a success.  
Victor Austin and sister, Bernice, are

home from school at Provo, with their  
parents, for the holidays.  
Earl and Ethel Wright returned  
home last evening from Brigham City,  
where they have been in attendance  
at school, to spend the holidays with  
their parents and friends.  
Last week twin boys were born to  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tifford. This is  
the third pair of twins born in Lincoln  
in the last year, two boys to Mr. and  
Mrs. Rueben Howells and two girls to  
Mr. and Mrs. Len Pearson.  
School closed for the holidays a  
week earlier than usual owing to a  
prevalence of mumps and colds among  
the children.

Stock men have experienced some  
slight set back in filling their stock  
for ready shipment, owing to the snow  
and cold weather.

### TWENTY-TWO BELOW AND NO COAL AT PARKER

(Special Correspondence.)  
PARKER, Dec. 31.—A fog frost has  
been falling for a number of days  
which always means cold weather, but  
not so cold as it was for three or four  
days before Christmas, when the  
thermometer registered from 12 to 22  
below zero.

There is a great scarcity of coal here,  
and being so far from the railroad  
(four miles) when a car comes in,  
these who live near-by exhaust it be-  
fore Parker residents can reach there.  
Some is being hauled, however, from  
the Teton mines as the roads are still  
in splendid condition.

Christmas passed off very quietly  
with a time for the children on Xmas  
eve and a grand ball Xmas night.

The health of the people was never  
better.  
The Parker Development club was  
organized here lately with William  
Cameron, as president; A. D. Mills,  
vice president; A. C. Anderson, secre-  
tary and treasurer; the foregoing with  
J. T. B. Mason, Ole Olsen, Jed East  
and C. W. Brown are directors.  
Parker the past season raised 150,000  
bushels of grain, 18,000 tons of beets  
with hundreds of tons of other veg-  
etables and large fruits.

### GOSSIP OF THE WEEK BY MENAN CORRESPONDENT

(Special Correspondence.)  
MENAN, Dec. 31.—Funeral services  
were held in the ward meeting-  
house Monday over the remains of Mrs.  
Polson, who died at the home of her  
son William Polson last week. De-  
ceased was born in Denmark 65 years  
ago last July. She leaves two sons at  
this place, William and George, with  
another who resides in Colorado.

Christmas was observed here in fit-  
ting style with a program in the ward  
meetinghouse which was enjoyed by the  
big crowd present. In the afternoon  
a Christmas tree was the feature for  
the little folks.  
Soot taking fire in a flue in the resi-  
dence of A. W. Green created consid-  
erable excitement among the citizens  
here. There was practically no damage  
done.

Among the sickness reported here this  
week is Brigham Lawson down with  
pneumonia and the four children of  
Merrill Montague with what is believed  
to be typhoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clement were  
the recipients of a surprise party this  
week prior to their leaving for Teton  
Basin.

A daughter arrived at the home of  
Carl Peterson this week.

#### DON'T GEA A DIVORCE.

A western judge granted a divorce  
on account of ill-temper and bad  
breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills  
would have prevented it. They cure  
Constipation, causing bad breath and  
Liver Trouble, the ill-temper, dispel  
colds, banish headaches, conquer  
chills, 25c at Z. C. M. I. Drug Depart-  
ment, 112-114 So. Main, Salt Lake  
City.

# HENAGERS BUSINESS COLLEGE

College Office open all day today and until 10 o'clock tonight.

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necessary: First, you must have thor-  
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you must have good, up-to-date  
equipment and pleasant, well-lighted  
rooms; last, but not least, you must  
see that your students are placed in  
good position in all three of these  
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excels.

Our teachers are educated, broad-  
minded men and women, who have  
had practical business and office ex-  
perience as well as years of successful  
teaching.

Our rooms are large and well lighted  
and the furniture is all new and up-  
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have more late model visible machines  
than any other school in the state.  
We place all our students in good  
positions as soon as they have com-  
pleted a course.

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Business College the place to get a  
business education. There is always a  
demand for competent office help, but  
at the present time there are more  
inducements in the commercial world  
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over the United States and the phen-  
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go right out into lucrative positions.  
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just what the business man wants  
and have arranged the course accord-  
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Can you tell why it is that Henager's  
Business College has more than five  
times as many students in attendance  
at the present time as it had two years  
ago, while all other commercial schools  
in the city have fewer than they had at  
this season two years ago? Why is it  
that we have enrolled more students in  
the past year than any other commer-  
cial school in the State of Utah. Why is  
it that our school has placed more stu-  
dents in positions in the past twelve  
months than all other schools in the  
city combined; and, at the same time,  
has been unable to fill half of the places  
reported to us? Students of other  
schools experience more or less diffi-  
culty in securing situations and many of  
them never secure profitable employ-  
ment.

Why is it that over a hundred stu-  
dents have come to us this year who  
had taken a part or complete course in  
some other school in the city? Why are  
they all satisfied now?

### Success.

If you wish to succeed in any voca-  
tion, it is necessary that you under-  
stand its fundamental principles. No  
one is better qualified to instruct than  
he who has made a success of his pro-  
fession. Now if you expect to be suc-  
cessful to the commercial world it  
would certainly be well for you to re-  
ceive your instruction in shorthand,  
typewriting and bookkeeping from a  
school that has been a complete suc-  
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most progressive and up-to-date com-  
mercial school in the West. You can  
verify this statement by making a per-  
sonal investigation. You owe it to  
yourself to do this before deciding to  
enroll elsewhere. Ask the business  
men. Talk to the students who have  
come to us after having enrolled in oth-  
er schools. Visit the school in session  
and compare the work with that of any  
other institution in the country.